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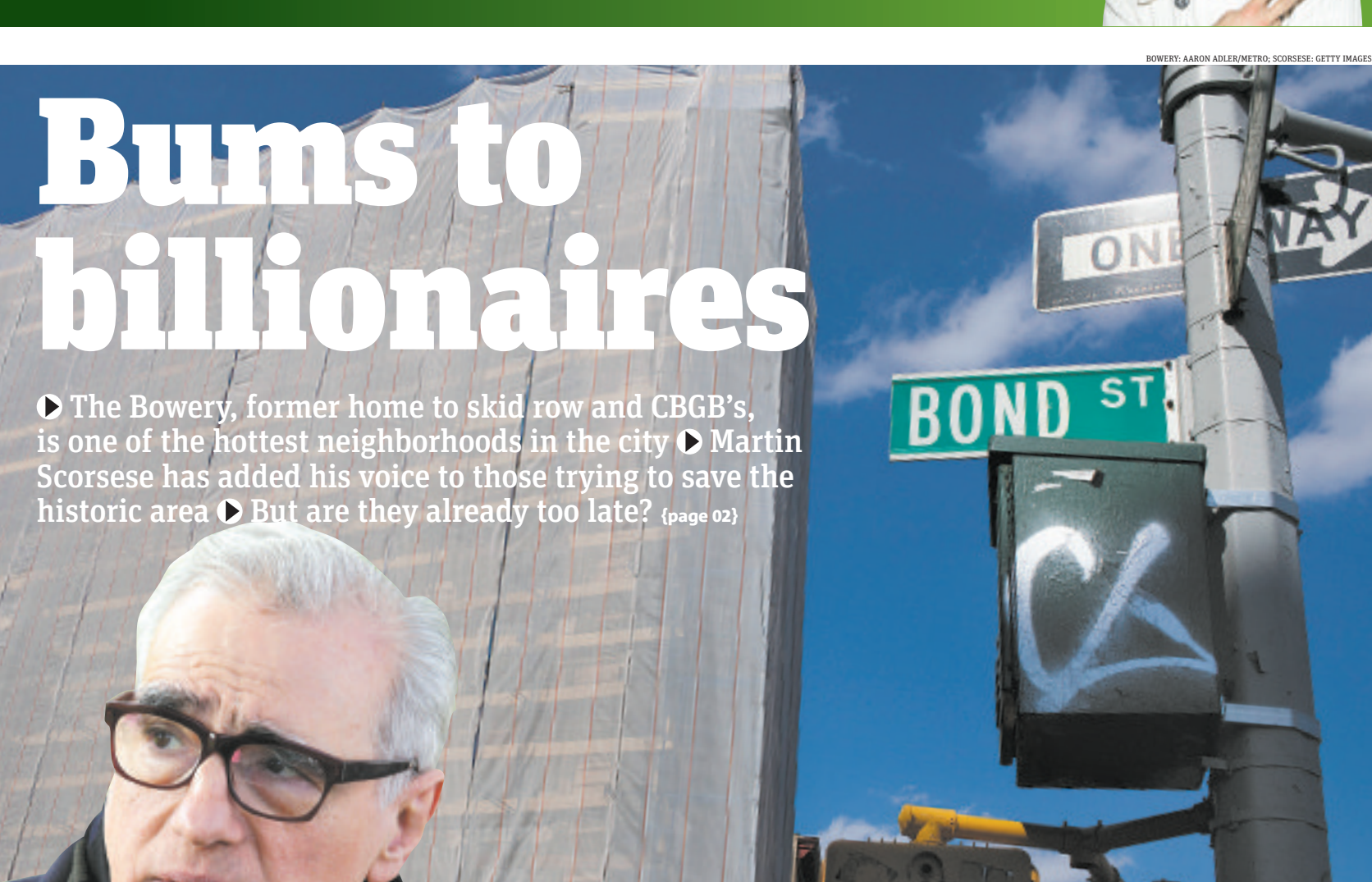


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# Scorcese joins loud chorus of voices crying out for Bowery

## Bowery added to National Registry of Historic Places Already on state registry Neighbors still fighting to protect architecture Some say it's already too late

Martin Scorcese is the latest addition to a long list of old-school New Yorkers and artists fighting to protect the Bowery.

In a recent letter to the City Planning Commission, Scorcese credited "the grittiness, the ambience, the vivid atmosphere" of the neighborhood with inspiring his best work.

"Having grown up in Elizabeth Street, the neighborhood and residents of the Bowery became clear catalysts for turning me into a storyteller," Scorcese wrote in a plea to acknowledge a plan from the Bowery Alliance of Neighbors to preserve the east side of the Bowery.

The area has been on the State Registry of Historic Places since October 2011, and cause for new celebration arose just a month ago when the Bowery was added to the national registry, joining such American historical institutions as Boston's Beacon Hill and New Orleans' French Quarter.

But the National Registry is only honorific: It merely recognizes the value of a place but does not instate any development restrictions or protections, which is why some residents of the neighborhood continue to plead with the City Planning Commission to review their East Bowery Preservation Plan.

Mark Nourieli, 57, has owned a restaurant equipment store on the Bowery for 20 years. He said he and other restaurant equipment businesses along the block will have to relocate within a year to a year and a half.

Nourieli didn't mince words: "The millionaires came in and they bought all the real estate," he said. "They sold the building and we have to move. The Bowery is finished."

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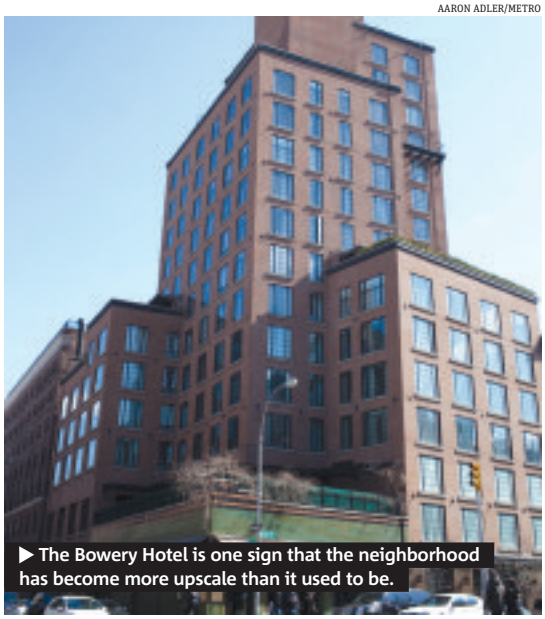

▶ The Bowery Hotel is one sign that the neighborhood has become more upscale than it used to be.

▶ Scorcese is pictured in the Bowery in 1973.

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▶ The former Amato

### Amato changing

The Amato Opera building sold in 2009 and was listed again for nearly $7 million in 2011, but according to Curbed, the owners have now filed a Department of Buildings application to designate the building live/work and to add 10 feet on top of the structure for three residential units.

**Quoted**

**"The millionaires came in and they bought all the real estate. ... They destroyed us. The Bowery is finished."**
NOURIELI

**In the news**

## $2M

A $3 bowl bought at a garage sale six years ago sold for $2.2 million at Sotheby's on Tuesday, the New York Post reported. The New York family who sold the bowl did not realize it was a 1,000-year-old Chinese artifact from the Northern Song dynasty, the Post said. . Asian artifacts are on sale through March 23 at Sotheby's for Asia Week. EVELYN CHENG

**In the news**

### Statue of Liberty will reopen by July 4

Shut down by Hurricane Sandy, Lady Liberty will finally be open for visitors again by the Fourth of July. Secretary of the Interior Ken Salazar and Sen. Charles Schumer announced the reopening date on Tuesday afternoon. "We are fully committed to reopening this crown jewel as soon as it's safe for visitors and not a second later," Salazar said.
ALISON BOWEN

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▶ This view looks north along the Bowery in 1900 when elevated trains ran along the street.

**A trip down history lane**

**The commission's Preservation Plan stipulates that all buildings would have a maximum height of 85 feet, or eight stories, to remain in line with the late 18th- and early 19th-century buildings.**

The wide street has significance dating as far back as 1626, with a rich history encompassing everything from tap dance and vaudeville to abstract expressionism and punk music. Once the home of a rich Yiddish theater scene, some say the only remnant of the once vibrant arts community is the Bowery Poetry Club.

**Quoted**

**"Having grown up in Elizabeth Street, the neighborhood and residents of the Bowery became clear catalysts for turning me into a storyteller."**
SCORCESE

**"Something must be done in order to preserve the creative spirit that once defined this historic area."**
GALLANTER

A letter from Bruce Lee Gallanter of Downtown Music Gallery, a quirky record store that was once located on the street, mourned the loss of CBGB's, the Bouwerie Theatre and his own displaced shop, insisting, "Something must be done in order to preserve the creative spirit that once defined this historic area."

Lou DiGennaro, a Brooklyn resident who has been visiting the Bowery area frequently since childhood, noted that while the area is safer and cleaner, and the buildings taller, "some of the character is lost."

"It's lost a little energy," DiGennaro said. "It's pushing out a lot of people who are more creative."

▶ The Bowery was also home to New York's punk scene.

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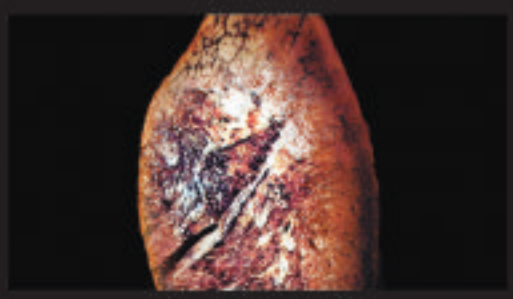

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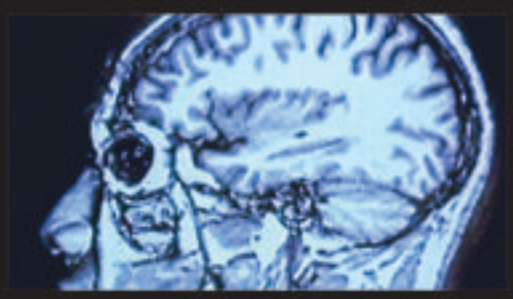

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# Prisoner on the run after escaping jail

A prisoner escaped from jail in the Bronx, police said Wednesday.

Cops announced the escape yesterday, which they said happened shortly before 4 p.m. Saturday.

Quentin Stroman, 18, was being kept at a White Plains Road detention facility, according to cops, where he had been jailed by court order after a March assault. Stroman is described as 6-foot-1 and about 160 pounds. He was last seen in a multicolor baseball hat, black sweatshirt and black jeans.

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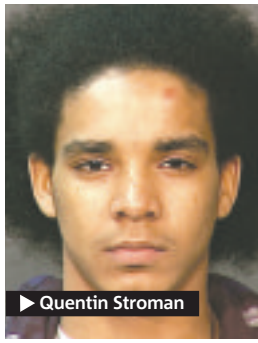

▶ Quentin Stroman

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Anyone with information should call 800-577-TIPS.

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## In the news

▶ Emma Stone crosses the "Amazing Spider-Man 2" set.

### 'Spider-Man' agrees to pass on Passover

Williamsburg residents can rest easy about potential parking problems during filming for "The Amazing Spider-Man 2."

Alarmed that production was possible around the Marcy Avenue Armory during the Passover holiday, Councilman Stephen Levin asked Spider-Man producers to change their plans.

Levin said he was concerned the filming would create parking issues, as residents are unable to move their cars ahead of time because of Passover restrictions on driving.

Levin said Columbia Pictures agreed to load its equipment on March 22 after sundown and only use half a block of parking.

The movie will be the biggest film shot in New York, Gov. Andrew Cuomo said last week. **METRO/AB**

### Patient fatally attacked at hospital

A patient at Interfaith Hospital was attacked and killed Tuesday night, according to police.

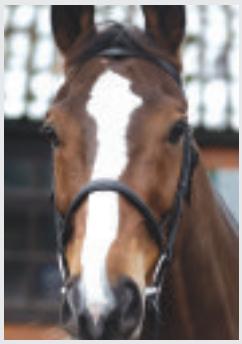
Police said they responded to a call Tuesday about the assault just before 10 p.m. at the hospital when they discovered the unidentified victim, 47, unconscious and unresponsive. The man had blunt force trauma to his torso and head. He was pronounced dead at the scene.

The victim was a patient in the psychiatric ward. Another patient in the ward, described as a 20-year-old black male, was arrested in connection with the attack, according to the Associated Press. He was taken to Kings County hospital for observation.

**LAURA SHIN**

## In the news

### City temporarily shuts Queens horse stable



The city has shuttered a Queens stable after six horses died in the same number of months.

The Parks Department told Metro that the city has suspended operations at Cedar Lane Stables in Queens.

All of the horses boarded there must be relocated, Parks spokesman Phil Abramson told Metro, after an "alarming" number of deaths.

Six animals died during the last six months of 2012, according to the Daily News.

The Federation of Black Cowboys, which runs the stables, is not responsible for all the horses staying there. If the owners are boarding the horses, they are responsible for feeding and caring for the animals.

The Daily News reported that horses did not have food or bedding, and one even tried to eat the wood shavings in his stall.

If the Federation of Black Cowboys improves the facility, they may reopen it, Abramson said. If they are allowed to reopen, they will be responsible for all horses.

Sheryl Morse, president of the Federation of Black Cowboys, told the newspaper that the horses died of old age or "legitimate reasons." **ALISON BOWEN**

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**Horses died within six months**

# Sandhog is rescued after-hours in muck

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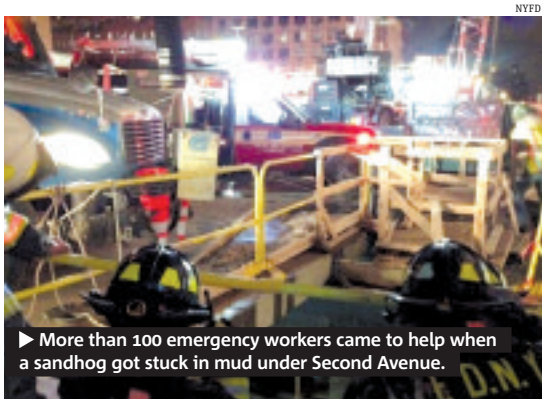

▶ More than 100 emergency workers came to help when a sandhog got stuck in mud under Second Avenue.

A Second Avenue subway construction worker was freed early Wednesday morning after being stuck waist-deep in "muck" for four hours Tuesday night in an underground tunnel.

More than 100 emergency workers were called to the scene after the sandhog became trapped around 8:30 p.m. in a tunnel 75 feet underground near the corner of Second Avenue and 95th Street.

The man was finally freed at about 12:40 a.m. after responders worked for hours to remove debris from around the man in order to extract him from the mud. Con Edison brought an industrial vacuum to help suck out the debris.

An assistant fire chief said the man had somehow gotten his foot stuck in a frame used in the construction and sank into the mud.

The fire department posted a video on Twitter of the man emerging from the ground.

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**This all happened 75 feet below the ground.**

The worker, who was not identified, was conscious the whole time and taken to an ambulance immediately following the rescue. He likely suffered from hypothermia, The New York Times reported. Swaddled in blankets, he was pulled out of the ground in a yellow basket suspended by a crane.

Three firefighters were also injured during the treacherous rescue, according to news reports.

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## News in brief

### Woman attacked in Bed-Stuy subway station

Cops are searching for a man who tried to rape a 21-year-old woman inside a subway station in Brooklyn.

The woman exited a train at the Bedford Avenue and Nostrand Avenue stop in Bedford-Stuyvesant around 9:30 p.m. on March 14. The suspect approached the woman and offered to help her with her bags. She accepted the help, and as they ascended the stairwell, the man attempted to rape her. The victim screamed for help and the suspect fled. **METRO/LS**

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## In the news

### Cops look for woman who took baby from foster home

Cops are looking for a woman they say took her 1-year-old nephew from a foster home.

According to police, around 2:30 p.m. on March 7, Nakita Briggs, 20, picked up Adonis Briggs from his foster home without permission. The baby had been living in the Bronx, cops said.

Police ask anyone with information to call 800-577-TIPS. METRO/AB

### Work stops at Gowanus Canal Whole Foods

Three workers fell and were injured at a Whole Foods construction site in Gowanus Canal, Brooklyn, around 1 p.m. on Monday, the Brooklyn Eagle reported. Work was stopped on the site by order of the city's Department of Buildings, which DNAinfo said also issued a "Class One" safety violation to the site, the second since January.

Whole Foods spokesman Michael Sinatra told DNAinfo that part of the frame the workers were welding gave way, leading to the accident.

Brooklyn's first Whole Foods is scheduled to open this fall. EVELYN CHENG

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# Bloomberg says an NYPD inspector general would be 'disastrous'

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▶ Mayor Michael Bloomberg says there is no reason for an NYPD inspector general.

The NYPD does not need an inspector general, Mayor Michael Bloomberg said on Wednesday.

Requiring cops to be overseen by an inspector general would be "disastrous" for the public safety of New Yorkers, he said.

The bill is just the latest in a string of attacks against the NYPD, the mayor said, and "will put the lives of New Yorkers and our police officers at risk."

He vowed to veto the legislation if passed.

The City Council is considering the bill, which would require independent oversight of the NYPD to review their procedures.

On Tuesday, Public Advocate Bill de Blasio urged that an inspector general should not only be appointed, but should also be given subpoena powers.

But Bloomberg said crime rates have vastly improved in the city and chastised politicians and officials who criticize cops.

The NYPD does not need extra oversight, Bloomberg also said.

Right now, district attorneys and the city's Civilian Complaint Review Board and Commission to Combat Police Corruption oversee the department.

An inspector general would function like an additional police commissioner, according to Bloomberg.

"I don't think any rational person would say we need two competing police commissioners," he said. "There would be questions in the ranks of police officers about who is really in charge."

He added, "That kind of breakdown in the chain of command would be disastrous for public safety."

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### Quinn supports inspector general

The City Council may pass legislation requiring the NYPD to have an inspector general, Council Speaker Christine Quinn said yesterday.

Quinn said the Council is negotiating legislation regarding cops' interaction with New Yorkers, including reaching "broad agreement" on the proposal of an inspector general.

"We're in ongoing negotiations on several significant proposals that will work to improve police-community relations throughout our city," she said in a statement.

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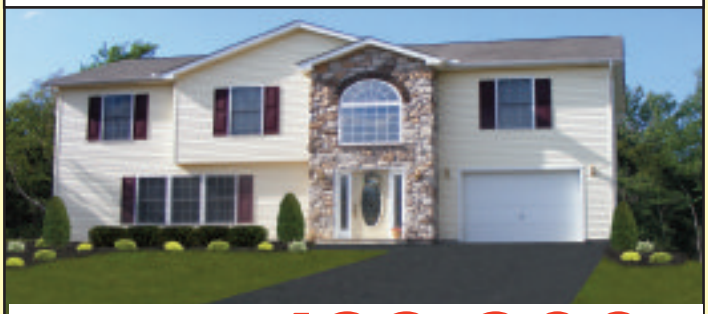

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# Obama arrives in Israel, vows undying US support

## Palestinian protests spring up against Obama visit

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▶ A Palestinian activist throws a shoe at a poster of President Obama.

Palestinian activists set up a protest camp yesterday close to where Israel wants to build a new settlement in the occupied West Bank, drawing attention to their struggle during a visit to the region by U.S. President Barack Obama.

More than 100 demonstrators erected four large, steel-framed tents and a massive Palestinian flag on the rugged, rocky tract near Jerusalem, just as Obama arrived in nearby Tel Aviv for three days of talks and meetings.

"We are here to send a message to President Obama: Our struggle, our nonviolent, peaceful resistance will continue until we are free," said senior Palestinian politician Mustafa Barghouthi, standing on the windy outcrop. **REUTERS**

**Quoted**

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**SENIOR PALESTINIAN POLITICIAN MUSTAFA BARGHOUTHI**

Making his first official visit to Israel, U.S. President Barack Obama pledged yesterday enduring support for the Jewish State, where concern over a nuclear-armed Iran has clouded U.S.-Israeli relations.

He also stressed the need for Middle East peace at the start of a three-day trip, which is aimed at resetting strained relations with both the Israelis and Palestinians, but is not expected to provide new initiatives or substantial policy moves.

Descending from Air Force One in bright spring sunshine, Obama briefly embraced Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, with whom he has a notoriously testy relationship, before offering smiles and handshakes to waiting ministers.

"I see this visit as an opportunity to reaffirm the unbreakable bond between our nations, to restate America's unwavering commitment to Israel's security and to speak directly to the people of Israel and to your neighbors," Obama said at a red-carpet welcoming ceremony at the Tel Aviv airport.

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▶ Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and President Barack Obama reach out to shake hands.

Obama faces strong doubts among Israelis over his promise to prevent Iran from obtaining a nuclear bomb, as well as anxiety that the civil war in neighboring Syria might spill over the border, with Western powers reluctant to get involved. **REUTERS**

**Atomic Iran**

▶ Obama said last week that he believes Iran is more than a year away from developing an atomic weapon and is counseling nervous Israelis to show patience.


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# Lululemon recalls transparent yoga pants

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▶ The Vancouver-based Lululemon is pulling pants that are a too revealing.

Were you in a yoga class last night, in downward-facing dog only too look up and see a little too much of the person in front of you through their Lululemon yoga pants?

This is apparently an issue.

We'll have to part ways with our favorite overpriced yoga pants for a while as Lululemon was forced to recall a large selection of their yoga pants due to coverage problems.

The company announced: "We have determined that certain shipments of product received from our factories and available in store from March 1, 2013, do not meet our technical specifications. The items affected are certain styles of women's bottoms in our signature black Luon fabric. The ingredients, weight and longevity qualities of the pants remain the same, but the coverage does not, resulting in a level of sheerness in some of our women's black Luon bottoms that falls short of our very high standards.

"Over the past weekend, we pulled all of the affected black Luon women's bottoms from our stores, showrooms and e-commerce site and are working with our supplier to replace the fabric and our other manufacturers to replace these key items as quickly as possible. We believe the affected items represented approximately 17 percent of all women's bottoms in our stores, and for the near-term there will be a shortage of these styles available to our guests."

**$333M**

**The recall will likely bring the company's quarterly sales down from $350-$355 million to $333-$343 million.**

Yuppie yogis aren't the only ones suffering from this loss. It turns out the recall will cost Lululemon millions; nearly a fifth of their inventory is unusable. According to multiple reports, the recall is predicted to bring the company's quarterly sales down from $350-$355 million to $333-$343 million.

Keep calm, yoga fans. Until we get our yoga pants back, remember to take deep breaths.

**Mary Ann Georgantopoulos**

## In the news

### Cuomo nears deal on $136.5B state budget extending top tax

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▶ Cuomo

Governor Andrew Cuomo and New York legislative leaders may reach a deal as soon as today on a $136.5 billion budget that would extend a higher tax on top earners, raise the minimum wage and cut $700 million in taxes.

The agreement would close a $1.35 billion deficit without new taxes in fiscal 2014, which begins April 1. Approval by the legislature, which could happen as early as this weekend, would mean Wall Street's home state would have its third consecutive on-time budget for the first time since 1984, when Cuomo's father, Mario, was governor.

"It's not as cloudy as it was yesterday," Assembly Speaker Sheldon Silver, a Manhattan Democrat, said today after Cuomo met with him and other legislative leaders. "We are on target to close very soon."

Negotiations over the budget slowed this week as Cuomo pushed to include policy measures such as allowing New York City to decriminalize as much as 15 grams of marijuana and changes to U.S. gun regulations. **REUTERS**

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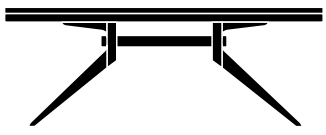

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## In the news

### Fla. medical pot campaign funded

Two top Democratic fundraisers in Florida have committed to providing the money and know-how to get the question of legalizing medical marijuana on the state ballot in 2014. "I'm prepared to keep raising money and writing checks until I get the signatures to put it on the ballot," attorney John Morgan said. Morgan, who routinely hosts presidents and national political figures at his Orlando-area home, recently signed on as chairman of People United for Medical Marijuana-Florida, a grassroots campaign that operated on a shoestring until now. The group lacked the money to wage a high-profile campaign and couldn't collect enough signatures to get the proposal on the ballot in November. **REUTERS**

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### Yahoo gets app — and ex-employees

Yahoo Inc. acquired a small mobile start-up company that was founded by former employees of the struggling Web portal two years ago. Yahoo did not disclose the price of its deal to acquire Jybe, which developed a mobile app that recommends movies, books and restaurants based on data contained in social networks. Yahoo said it would shut down the Jybe service, while five Jybe engineers and data scientists, all ex-Yahoo staffers, would focus on Yahoo's efforts to bolster its product lineup. Since Marissa Mayer became Yahoo's chief executive she has made several small, so-called acqui-hires. **REUTERS**

# Poll: Majority of US supports benefits for same-sex couples

As the Supreme Court prepares to decide whether the federal government may deny benefits to same-sex married couples that it allows their heterosexual counterparts, Americans seem already to have made up their minds.

Fifty-five percent of those surveyed said married gay and lesbian couples should be able to qualify for Social Security survivor payments and other benefits provided to married heterosexual couples, according to Reuters/Ipsos polling of 2,886 people between March 5 and March 14.

Majority support for such benefits was seen across all regions of the United States, even in the traditionally more conservative South.

That widespread support emerges just before the Supreme Court takes up a pair of momentous gay rights cases next week, one testing whether the government may deny benefits to same-sex married couples without violating the Constitution's guarantee of equality. **REUTERS**

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▶ A new poll suggests a majority of Americans supports giving these two the same benefits afforded to heterosexual couples.

**69%**

**The Northeast was the region with the most support, at 69 percent, versus the South, with 57 percent supporting the benefits.**

## Stakes are raised

### Study: 1 in 50 kids autistic

As many as one in 50 U.S. school-age children have a diagnosis of autism, up from one in 86 in 2007, with much of the increase involving milder cases, suggesting the rise is linked to growing awareness and better testing methods, government researchers said. In line with previous estimates, boys in the research were four times more likely to be diagnosed with autism than girls, according to the study, which is based on American parent reports of autism diagnoses in 2011-12 compared with 2007. Autism can range from highly functioning individuals to those with severe speech and intellectual disabilities. **REUTERS**

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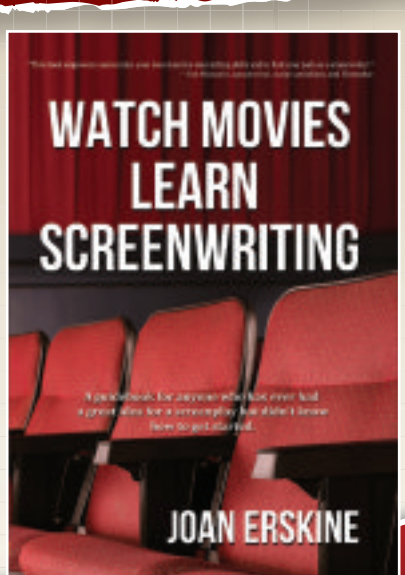


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# Public gets Free TV with no monthly bills

***Federal law makes TV network giants broadcast Free TV signals regionally in crystal clear digital picture in all 50 states allowing U.S. households to pull in Free TV with a new micro antenna device engineered to pull in nothing but Free TV channels with no cable, satellite or internet connection and no monthly bills***

## ▶ Who Gets Free TV: Listed below are the NYC area zip codes that can get Free over the air TV channels. If you live in one of these areas immediately call: 1-888-874-3480

NEW YORK - Today's announcement by CompTek has the Free TV Hotlines ringing off the hook.

That's because NYC area residents who find their zip code listed in today's publication are getting Free TV channels thanks to an amazing razor-thin invention called Clear-Cast™.

NYC area residents who call the Toll Free Hotlines before the 48-hour order deadline to get Clear-Cast can pull in Free TV channels with crystal clear digital picture and no monthly bills.

This announcement is being so widely advertised because a U.S. Federal law makes TV broadcasters transmit their signals in digital format, which allows everyone to receive these over-the-air digital signals for free with no monthly bills.

Here's how it works. Clear-Cast, the new micro antenna device with advanced technology links up directly to pull in the Free TV signals being broadcast in your area with crystal clear digital picture and no monthly bills.

Clear-Cast was invented by a renowned NASA Space Technology Hall of Fame scientist who currently holds 23 U.S. Gov't issued patents. For the past 20 years, he has specialized in developing antenna systems for NASA, Motorola, XM Satellite Radio and companies around the world.

His latest patent-pending invention, Clear-Cast, is a new micro antenna device engineered to pull in the Free TV signals through advanced technology with no cable, satellite or internet connection and no monthly bills.

"Clear-Cast is being released to the general public because we just don't think people should keep paying for TV when they can get it for free," said Conrad Miller, Manager of Operations at CompTek.

"There's never a monthly bill to pay and all the channels you get with Clear-Cast are absolutely free. So you see, Clear-Cast is not like cable or satellite. It was engineered to access solely the over-the-air signals that include all the top rated national and regional networks, like ABC, NBC, CBS, FOX, PBS, CW and about 90% of the most watched TV shows like America's Got Talent, NCIS, 60 Minutes, American Idol, The Big Bang Theory, The Bachelorette, Person of Interest, CSI, The Mentalist, Two and a Half Men, Sunday Night Football plus news, weather and more all for free with no monthly bills," Miller said.

"That's why Clear-Cast is such a great alternative for everyone who is sick and tired of paying expensive cable and satellite bills every month," he said.

"People who get Clear-Cast will say it feels like getting an extra paycheck every month. You see, with Clear-Cast you'll receive free over-the-air broadcast channels with crystal clear digital picture, not the cable or satellite only channels. So being able to eliminate those channels puts all the money you were spending back in your pocket every month," Miller said.

And here's the best part. The new micro antenna device called Clear-Cast is so technically advanced it pulls in even more of the channels being broadcast in your area for Free with no monthly bills.

That way you can channel surf through the favorite TV shows. The number of shows and channels you'll get depends on where you live. People living in large metropolitan areas may get up to 53 static-free channels, while people in outlying areas will get less. That means even if you're in a rural area that just pulls in NBC, ABC, CBS, FOX and PBS broadcasts there's hundreds of shows each year to watch for free.

Consumers report that the crystal clear picture quality with Clear-Cast is the best they've ever seen. That's because you get virtually all pure uncompressed signals direct from the broadcasters for free.

Clear-Cast was engineered to link up directly like a huge outdoor directional antenna but in a lightweight, slim-line package. Its sturdy copper alloy and polymer construction will most likely far outlast your TV.

It just couldn't be any easier to get Free over-the-air digital TV shows with Clear-Cast. Simply plug it into your TV, place Clear-Cast on a window pane and run autoscan. It works on virtually any model TV and is easily hidden out of sight behind a curtain or window treatment.

■ **NEVER PAY A BILL AGAIN:** New Yorkers will be on the lookout for their postal carrier because thousands of Clear-Casts will soon be delivered to lucky NYC area residents who beat the 48-hour order deadline and live in any of the zip code areas listed below. Everyone is getting Clear-Cast because it pulls in nothing but Free TV channels with no cable, satellite or internet connection and no monthly bills.

Thousands of NYC area residents are expected to call to get Clear-Cast because it just doesn't make any sense to keep paying for TV when you can get hundreds of shows absolutely free.

So, NYC area residents lucky enough to find their zip code listed in today's publication need to immediately call the Free TV Hotline before the 48-hour deadline to get Clear-Cast that pulls in Free TV with crystal clear digital picture. If lines are busy keep trying, all calls will be answered. ■

**▶ How to get Free TV:** Listed below are the NYC area zip codes that can get Free TV channels with no monthly bills. If you live in one of these areas immediately call **1-888-874-3480** beginning at precisely 8:30am this morning. Today's announcement photo above shows just a handful of the major over-the-air broadcast networks you can receive with Clear-Cast for free. It saves a ton of money by not picking up expensive cable only channels like ESPN so there's never a monthly bill. This is all possible because a U.S. Federal Law makes TV broadcasters transmit their signals in digital format, which allows everyone to use Clear-Cast to pull in Free TV channels with no monthly bills. CompTek is giving every U.S. household a 50% off discount to help cover the cost of Clear-Cast. Clear-Cast, the new micro antenna device is a one-time purchase that plugs in to your TV to pull in Free TV channels in crystal clear digital picture with no monthly bills. Each Clear-Cast normally costs $98, but U.S. households who beat the 48-hour deadline are authorized to get a 50% off discount for each Clear-Cast and cover just $49 and shipping as long as they call the Free TV Hotline at **1-888-874-3480** before the deadline ends. Trademarks and programs are the property of their respective owners and are not affiliated with or endorsing Clear-Cast. **▶LG1040**

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**Dorothy Robinson's** take on the world of gossip @dorothyatmetro dorothy.robinson@metro.us

# Is Corey Feldman moonlighting as a sperm donor?

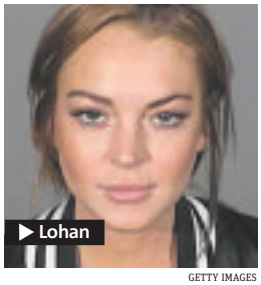
Prince Jackson

Corey Feldman

Yesterday, I wrote about the **Jackson family**'s wrongful death lawsuit against AEG Live for $40 billion and how AEG wants to get the paternity of Jackson's children entered into court proceedings. The Jackson family are fighting this, calling into question who actually is the father of **Blanket**, **Paris** and **Prince Jackson**. And upon further reflection (and Googling), I am pretty confident that the father of Prince Jackson is none other than **Corey Feldman**. These pictures don't lie, friends.

## And here's Lindsay Lohan's latest mug shot

Here is **Lindsay Lohan**'s latest mug shot, taken at the Santa Monica Police Station on March 19 in Santa Monica, Calif. Lindsay was ordered to turn herself in for booking after pleading no contest to the charge of reckless driving, providing false information to an officer and willfully resisting, obstructing or delaying an officer. Lindsay. Girlfriend. Brush your hair before your booking photo. Didn't your previous 400 arrests teach you anything?


Lohan

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## The feed ...

**Checking in with some of Hollywood's biggest names to see what they've been up to — in their own words, in 140 characters or fewer.**

Today, Katy Perry is making up for lost time, Marlon Wayans isn't putting too much thought into things, Kristen Chenoweth feels betrayed by her food and Seth MacFarlane is gearing up to make a Western.

**@katyperry:** About to watch Wayne's World. For the first time...

**@MARLONLWAYANS:** You don't have to figure life out... It has its way of figuring itself out

**@KChenoweth:** Dear Chipotle sandwich, stop hurting my stomach!

**@SethMacFarlane:** In pre-production for A Million Ways To Die in the West. My horse hasn't kicked me yet, but he did say he hates Family Guy past season 3.

Perry

## Tweeted.

How could anyone not love that face?

# 'Kill that dog' says fan about adorable puppy

**And this is why tweens are ridiculous: When One Direction member Liam Payne took to Twitter to introduce Loki, the adorable new puppy he and girlfriend Danielle Peazer share, he probably wasn't expecting fans to respond with death threats, but that's exactly what happened. The announcement of the puppy garnered responses along the lines of "I'll kill that dog" and "The dog is not going to see tomorrow if I can help it." One fan, at least, was willing to stand up for the pup, tweeting, "Just remember that Loki can't help who his owner is, so he doesn't deserve hate."**

## Talking points

### Katy Perry and John Mayer split

It looks like the second time wasn't the charm for **Katy Perry** and **John Mayer**, as they have reportedly split up again, according to Us Weekly. "It's sad," a source tells the magazine, adding that there's apparently call for optimism, though. "It's not over until it's over. You have to see how things play out. She's leaving the window open. They have both been so focused on work." The pair broke up in August before rekindling their romance a month later.

### Franco says criticism gets him down

**James Franco** has caught flak for the myriad film and art projects he's launched and academic degrees he's pursued, but he's not letting the haters get to him. "Criticism can sting, but not for long. At this point I've heard it all, good and bad. I can take anything," Franco tells Bullett magazine. "If anyone wants to say that my doing these things makes me a jerk, that's not about me — that's about people reacting to me. I don't need to be liked for anything I do. I put out a lot of different kinds of material, and maybe people read that as egotistical. Or maybe, since a lot of it does involve some aspect of me, they find it self-aggrandizing. But there's a long tradition of artists using themselves."

### Pink says 'Cut it out, y'all'

**Pink** halted a recent Philly concert when she noticed a girl in the crowd crying, according to Us Weekly. "Is everything OK? Is this little girl all right? Why is she crying? Why is she upset?" asked Pink, who was informed by audience members that an altercation had upset the young girl. "Because there was a fight? You all are fighting around a little girl?" she asked. Pink then coaxed the girl onstage and gave her a treat: "Honey, do you want this frog and this Rice Krispie treat?" Before getting back to the music, she also had a message for the crowd: "Are we OK now? Cut it out, y'all. We're grown-ass women."

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Pink

# Flirt it up, Ms. Gomez

**1: Selena Gomez** flashed a smile on Tuesday while visiting "Late Night with Jimmy Fallon" in New York City.

**2: P. Diddy** signed autographs for fans on Tuesday as Ciroc and Maxim celebrated the National Day of Honor in San Diego.

**3:** North Korean peacemaker **Dennis Rodman**, dressed the only way Dennis Rodman knows how, had a laugh at "The Jay Leno Show" on Tuesday.

**5:** Actress **Kristin Chenoweth** posed for photos on the red carpet for the Opening Night Gala at "The Bible Experience" on Tuesday in New York City.

**6:** Duchess of Cambridge **Kate Middleton** visited young children at the offices of Child Bereavement UK on Tuesday in Buckinghamshire.

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**After a rough month, could the Biebs' thumbs-up be a sign that he's taking it all in stride? The singer performed at the Palais Omnisports de Bercy in Paris on Tuesday.**

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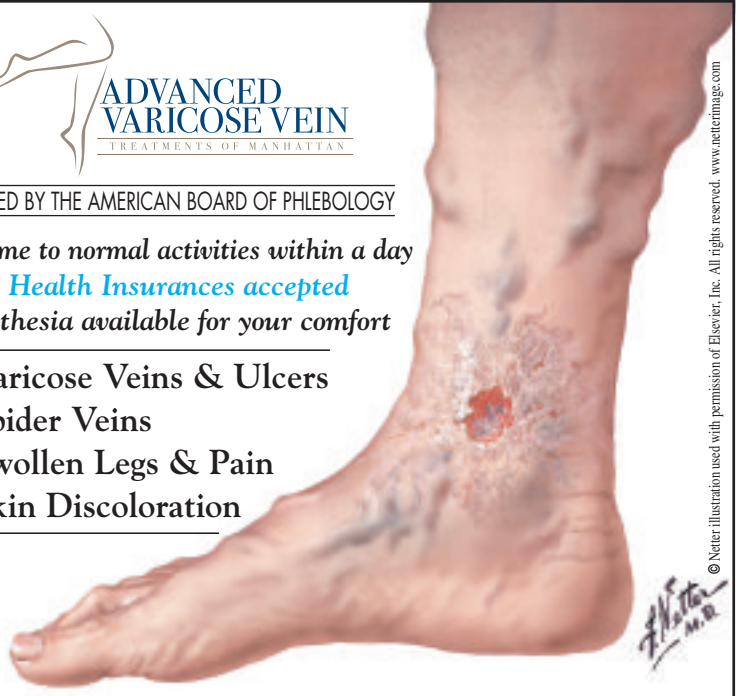


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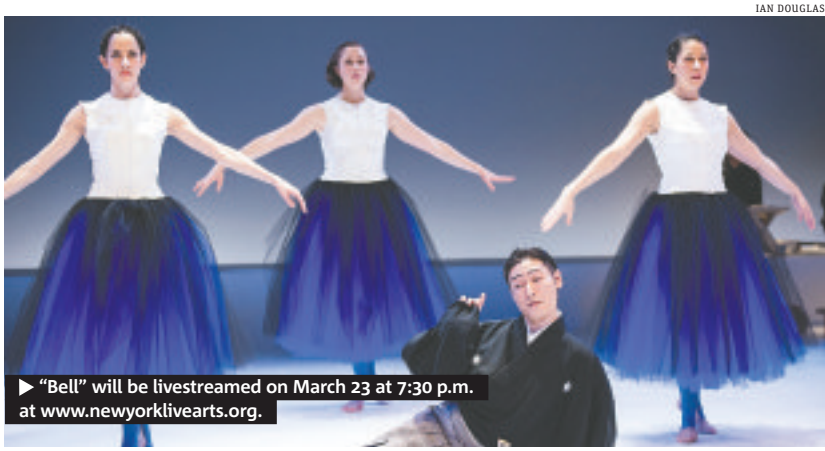

▶ "Bell" will be livestreamed on March 23 at 7:30 p.m. at www.newyorklivearts.org.

# Going gaga for Kabuki

## Yasuko Yokoshi plumbs bad relationships through history

**If you go**

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In the arts, certain themes resonate through time. One of these is the madness of betrayed women. Yasuko Yokoshi's grand new project, "Bell," fuses elements of an 18th-century Kabuki dance play and the 19th-century French ballet "Giselle" — but its most startling, telling aspect is a take on Lady Gaga's "Bad Romance."

Yokoshi, the first resident artist at New York Live Arts, has had access to unprecedented resources in developing the 70-minute piece, which features three American modern dancers, two Japanese Kabuki performers and six musicians, with the choreographer herself in a central role. A native of Hiroshima based in New York for more than 30 years, her eyes, ears and sensibilities are carefully tuned to contrasting emotional landscapes and their odd similarities.

Between the unfamiliar cadences of the Japanese music, performed live on traditional instruments, and the lilting melodies of the ballet score hovers the strange chanting of Gaga's heavily synthesized recording. Yokoshi finds the feeling-tone of madness and despair that plays through all her sources. She and her cast illuminate it, referencing the buttoned-up formality of Kabuki and the romantic swirl of ballet simultaneously, juxtaposing these elements against the bratty behavior of girls guarding a temple.

Akiko Iwasaki's costumes — and the hair, wigs and makeup by Koji Kasai — draw our eyes as dramatically as the fusion of sounds, ranging from singing to flute, drums and shamisen, plus recorded natural noises. We may not understand it, but we are held rapt.

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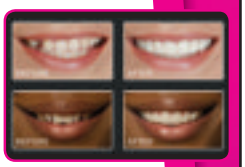

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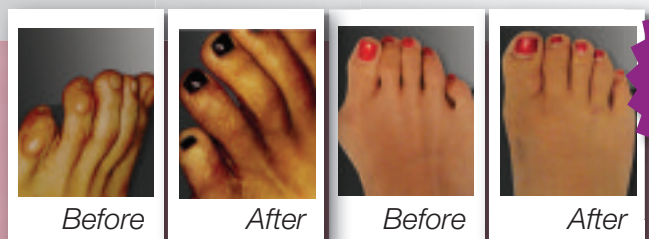


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Previously these products had only been available to Dr. Ryan's clients which included Oscar winning Hollywood movie stars and celebrities across the nation. These products substantially improve personal appearance without plastic surgery.

Dr. Ryan, perhaps the most famous Hollywood plastic surgeon in recent times, was extensively featured on television and in magazines across the nation. Dr. Ryan was also one of the first professional staff members of Endless Youth and Life which provides products and services that make celebrities look and perform many years younger than their age.

The first product being offered to the public is Dr. Ryan's most popular non-surgical personal appearance enhancement product, Dr. Frank Ryan's Abdominal Fat Reducer.

Abdominal fat is the most stubborn fat to reduce and it is also the most hazardous fat to your health. Abdominal fat produces destructive hormones that spread throughout the body. A clinical study has shown that Dr. Frank Ryan's Abdominal Fat Reducer can reduce your pot belly.

A double blind pilot clinical study was conducted on Dr. Frank Ryan's Abdominal Fat Reducer. The study was commissioned by Advanced Supplement Research and used a research group which has an expert staff consisting of more than 32 board-certified physician investigators and more than 38 ACRP certified clinical research coordinators. This group conducts clinical services for the major drug companies.

The test subjects in the study lost significant weight and reduced their pot belly without changing their diet or physical activity differently than each other.

In addition, the study showed that Dr. Frank Ryan's Abdominal Fat Reducer increased calorie burning so that you lose weight faster or you can eat more food without gaining weight. And, the study found that the all-natural Dr. Frank Ryan's Abdominal Fat Reducer pill produced weight loss safely.

How does Dr. Frank Ryan's Abdominal Fat Reducer work? Benjamin Suarez, President of Endless Youth and Life explained.

Suarez revealed, "It was found in a number of research studies on laboratory animals and later confirmed in human studies, that a substance called Conjugated Linoleic Acid (CLA) decreases abdominal body fat in three ways: 1.) CLA decreases abdominal body fat mass by decreasing the amount of abdominal fat that is stored after eating; 2.) CLA increases the rate of fat breakdown in abdominal fat cells; and 3.) CLA increases the rate of abdominal fat metabolism which decreases the total number of fat cells. You can think of CLA as a match that lights the fuse in abdominal fat. This fuse also increases metabolic rate that can result in more fat loss. Dr. Frank Ryan's Abdominal Fat Reducer contains the effective dose of CLA.

Suarez said, "There are also a number of other beneficial effects to CLA that help decrease the future storage of fat."

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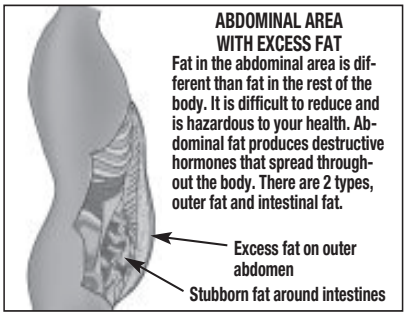
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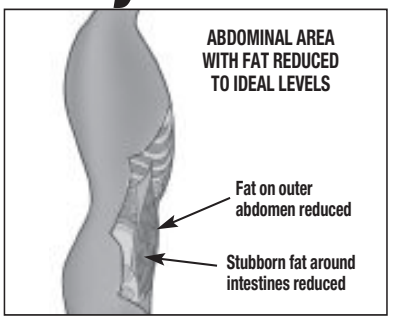

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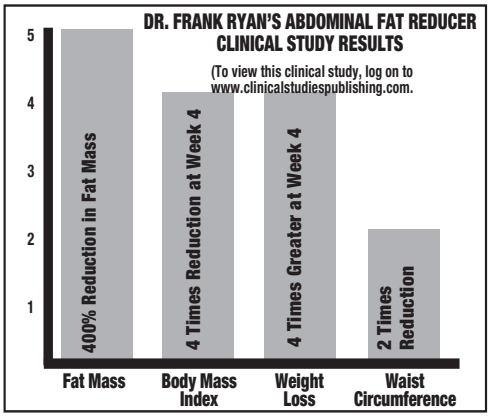

**Dr. Frank Ryan's Abdominal Fat Reducer**

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## TV watch list

▶ "Grey's Anatomy" has come a long way.

### 'Grey's Anatomy'

**DRAMA.** When we first met our favorite Seattle Grace doctors back in 2005, many of them were mere interns. Now they're coming to terms with the idea that they co-own the hospital. Oh, the self-doubt that will ensue! The pressure! The tension! The melodramatic voice-overs! **9 p.m., ABC**

### 'The American Bible Challenge'

**GAME SHOW.** If you're one of the people who thinks the devil in the History Channel miniseries actually did look like President Obama, then you may be the target audience for this Jeff Foxworthy-hosted show, which is back for Season 2 tonight. **Season premiere, 9 p.m., Game Show Network**

### 'Scandal'

**DRAMA.** "House" star Lisa Edelstein stops by to guest as a CEO who had an illicit affair with a Supreme Court nominee. **10 p.m., ABC**

### 'The Ben Show with Ben Hoffman'

**VARIETY.** What? A Backstreet Boy in action? Catch it while it lasts! Brian Littrell, the band's lead singer, joins the night's sketches, as does Jason Ritter. **10 p.m., Comedy Central** ● **MATTHEW JACOBS**

# KMFDM's power feminism

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▶ Sascha K., Andy Selway, Steve White, Jules Hodgson and Lucia Cifarelli makes up KMFDM.

Industrial anarcho rock originators KMFDM's new album, "Kunst," is a fist-pumping blend of industrial, techno and thrash speared with agitprop themes. Business as usual, then. Given KMFDM's formation in Paris in 1984, an appropriate genesis for their Orwellian vision, you'd think that founding member Sascha K's childhood was turbulent and influenced by gritty urban life. But the Hamburg native says that was not the case.

"I had a very peaceful and enlightened childhood," he says. "My grandma was a big inspiration. She was a poet and a painter and an astrologist. And she was a really good cook."

It's women who particularly inspire "Kunst." It includes a song titled "Pussy Riot," a clear shout-out to the jailed Russian all-girl punk band, and its cover bears a chainsaw-wielding woman, inspired perhaps by another girl group Sascha admires.

"Pussy Riot was one rousing momentum-creating event, but also the action of that feminist group from Kiev, Femen. When they took the chainsaw to the cross, I told my friend 'Go to YouTube, this is the image you have been waiting for your entire life.' They're one of the coolest activist groups in the whole world."

Sascha says that KMFDM has always supported feminist causes and, on a personal level, he has little sympathy for men in general.

"Men are just dumb. I was praying to have a daughter," he says passionately. "If it was a boy I would have been, 'Oh my God, not another penis.'"

**Linda Laban**
*linda.laban@metro.us*

### 'Art is a choice'

"Kunst" in its simplest translation is German for art. "Art is a melting pot of all kinds of things that either happens in a person or doesn't," says Sascha K.

"My daughter is five years old and does large canvas paintings. Is it art or is it play? I hang them on my wall and people say, 'Who did that? No way!' Art is in the eye of the beholder, of course. But art is a choice."

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# New openings

▶ Moleskine now comes in a variety of fun colors.

▶ DKNY's new store is full of the season's "it" items.

## INTERMIX Bowery

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## Moleskine's first store

Your favorite pocket-sized black notebook is getting it's own NYC digs. **Moleskine (10 Columbus Cir)** will open its first store in the U.S. on Friday. Why does it need its own store, you ask? Well the brand has been growing over the past year and now includes pens, bags, smartphone cases, travel book lights as well as special collaborations with Evernote and more in its repertoire. Did we mention the iconic book also comes in a variety of fun colors now? And adding to the fun, Moleskine recently launched "The Detour Book" project, featuring notebooks written and sketched in by over 250 artists such as Dave Eggers and Spike Jonze. Sorry, no Ernest Hemingway though.

## DKNY Flatiron

Forget rummaging through racks for the season's must-have items. **DKNY**'s new concept store in the Flatiron District **(168 Fifth Ave., 212-989-3438)** features only "it" items including runway-styles, denim and the popular DKNYpure.

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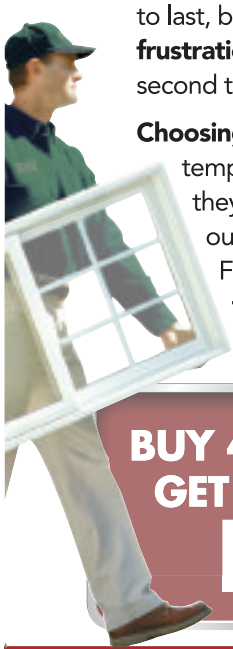

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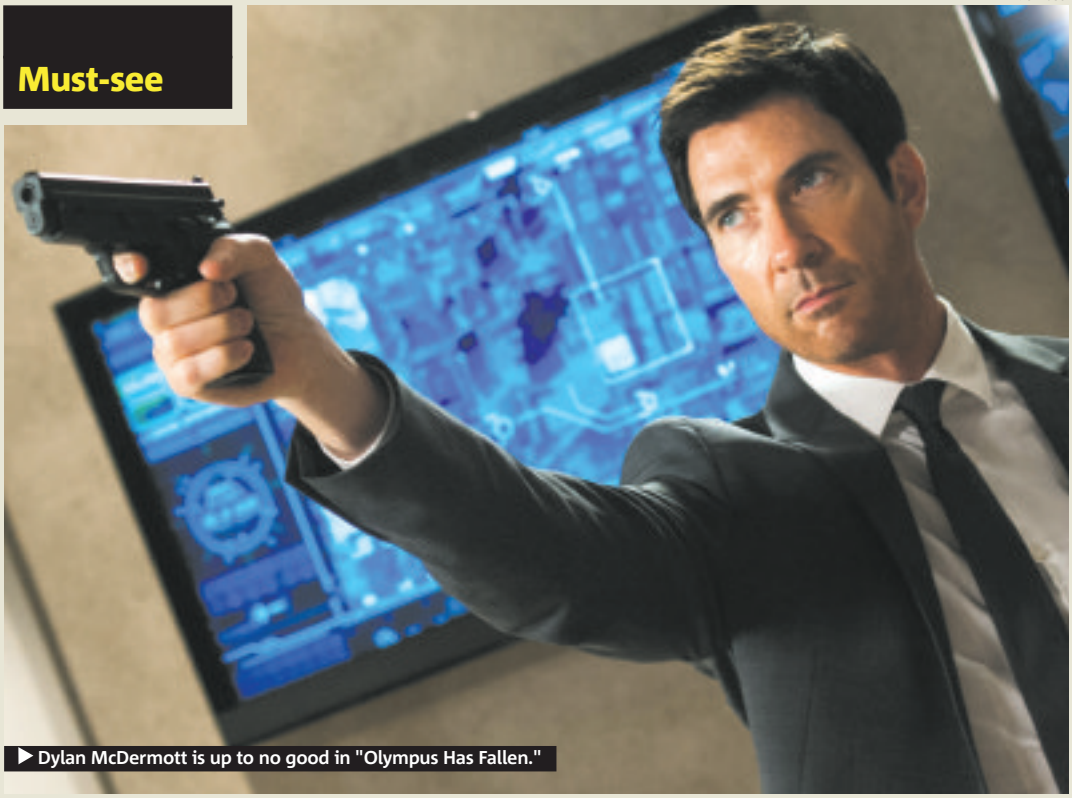

▶ Dylan McDermott is up to no good in "Olympus Has Fallen."

**1 'Olympus Has Fallen'** In the first of this year's "'Die Hard' in the White House" action pics (just wait till "White House Down," with Channing Tatum, comes out in June), the only man who can save the president (Aaron Eckhart) and thus America from North Korean terrorists is a Scotsman (Gerard Butler). The amusingly overqualified cast includes Morgan Freeman and Melissa Leo.

# 10 REASONS TO HIT THEATERS

**2 'The Croods'** Nicolas Cage's reported financial problems certainly have nothing to do with his vocal appearance in this animated film about prehistoric man. There's a story credit attributed to John Cleese.

**3 'Admission'** Tina Fey stars in a movie she didn't herself write, which worked out so well the last time it happened ("Baby Mama"). She plays an uptight high school admissions officer who may or may not be undone by free-spirited Paul Rudd.

**4 'Heaven's Gate'** Michael Cimino's epic, a $44-million disaster that almost killed United Artists, returns to NYC in a slightly altered director's cut, this time with critics praising it rather than advising everyone to avoid it.

**5 'Gimme the Loot'** Already heralded as another "Raising Victor Vargas," Adam Leon's low-budget comedy tells of Bronx graffiti artists who hatch an elaborate scheme to tag the Mets' home run apple.

**6 'My Brother the Devil'** The London borough of Hackney provides the center of this drama about an Egyptian family whose one son idolizes the other. Unfortunately, the other is the charismatic leader of a local gang.

**7 'Starbuck'** This Canadian comedy, about a serial sperm donator who has fathered 533 children, was such a hit back home that its director, Ken Scott, has already personally handled the American remake, with Vince Vaughn and Chris Pratt, due out later this year. See it in French first!

**8 'Hunky Dory'** Stealing a Bowie album title just in time for a new Bowie album, Marc Evans' '70s drama stars Minnie Driver as a teacher who tries to put together a school musical version of "The Tempest."

**9 'Spring Breakers'** Selena Gomez, Vanessa Hudgens and Ashley Bensen dirt up their reputations playing collegiates-turned-criminals in a T&A fest directed by Harmony Korine, whose last movie was "Trash Humpers." James Franco plays a grilled-out, cornrowed gangster named Alien.

**10 'The Call'** Oscar winner Halle Berry and Oscar nominee Abigail Breslin, who is now 16, star in a thriller about a 911 operator who fields a call from an abducted girl.

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Some people close themselves off completely, pretending they "don't need a relationship," and settle just for sex. Others stick with people who are bad for them because they're "safe" — figuring that as terrible as they are, at least they'd never leave. There are also the ones who sabotage potential relationships before they can get off the ground, thinking: "I'm going to hurt you before you get the chance to hurt me." And of course, many of us don't put our feelings out there because of what could happen if they are not returned. (We could get hurt! Ahh!)

The problem with living this way is that we're missing out. No one reaches their full potential living in fear. That's just as true in romantic relationships as it is in the rest of our lives.

Why is getting hurt romantically so scary? Is it actually something worth guarding ourselves against at all costs?

I would argue no — for the simple reason that getting hurt is temporary. Our fear of heartbreak is attached to the notion that we'll never be the same after it happens. We fear that we'll be in the eating-ice-cream-on-the-couch-in-pajamas stage indefinitely. But that's simply not the case. We can't stay heartbroken forever. There are pangs, but you'll turn out OK. In that sense, there's something empowering about getting hurt. It's a test of our strength, and it lets us know we can win against our fear.

You're not the delicate flower you think you are. I'd never wish a broken heart on anyone. but if it happens, know it will heal eventually. It will be rough, but a few rough months certainly beat a lifetime of unfulfilling relationships.

*— **Amber Madison** is a Manhattan-based relationship expert and dating coach. She is the author of 'Are All Guys Assholes?' for which she traveled the country, spoke to over 1,000 men and discovered that the answer to this question is no. You can follow her on Twitter @ambermadi or online at www.ambermadisononline.com*

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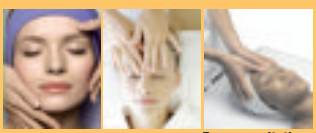

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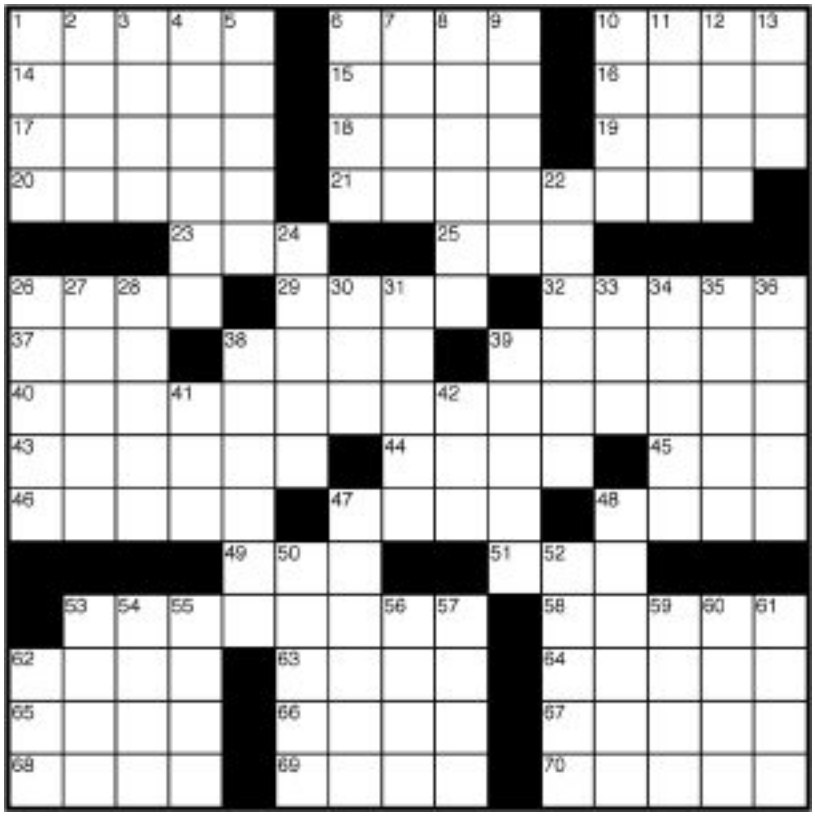

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## Horoscope

♈ Aries **March 21-April 19.** Usually you can maintain an upbeat attitude, but it might take everything in your power not to let a sour temperament take over.

♉ Taurus **April 20-May 20.** When around people who have something worthwhile to say, you should do more listening than talking. You'll find much useful information that will come in handy down the line.

♊ Gemini **May 21-June 20.** Focus your efforts on endeavors that could contribute to your financial well-being. Two unrelated opportunities that might come your way — seize both of them.

♋ Cancer **June 21-July 22.** One of your greatest assets is the ability to take control of a situation and wrest something valuable from it, and you'll get a chance to do this today. You'll know how to delegate effectively.

♌ Leo **July 23-Aug. 22.** Your goals can best be achieved by operating in a manner that doesn't generate much attention. Quietly do your own thing while letting others do theirs.

♍ Virgo **Aug. 23-Sept. 22.** One of the major reasons behind the current spike in your popularity is your genuine concern for others. Sincerity builds strong bonds of friendship.

♎ Libra **Sept. 23-Oct. 23.** If you're too wishy-washy to make your own decisions, your colleagues will happily make them for you. Unfortunately, you might not appreciate the results

♏ Scorpio **Oct. 24-Nov. 22.** A lesson you've learned from painful past experience will be wisely utilized. You aren't likely to repeat a mistake that you made in a similar situation.

♐ Sagittarius **Nov. 23-Dec. 21.** Your instincts are likely to be a shade sharper than usual when it comes to important personal matters. You'll heed your hunches and use them effectively.

♑ Capricorn **Dec. 22-Jan. 19.** Diplomacy and tact are your two greatest assets, especially regarding your friendships. Situations that normally could be a bit testy won't get a chance to go south.

♒ Aquarius **Jan. 20-Feb. 19.** Any assignment that requires your immediate attention should be given top priority. You're won't have any peace of mind if you ignore important mattes that need tending to.

♓ Pisces **Feb. 20-March 20.** You won't need to be around a ton of people to have a good time. In fact, hanging out with a few special friends could produce all the fun you need.

**BERNICE BEDE OSOL**

**Solution to yesterday's crossword**

## Letters

### There are plenty of stages, but the subway is not one of them

I have grown very tired of sitting on the subway and being forced to listen to "entertainers" loudly play accordions, trumpets and every other type of instrument. Then there are the annoying teenage break dancers/"acrobats" that swing millimeters from your face from the subway bars. It is illegal for a good reason. A subway car is a confined space, much too small and ill-equipped for blasting radios and performing dance routines. Some people have psychiatric and medical conditions that are aggravated by this nonsense. Also, most of these "performers" are just plain awful! It is not entertaining but annoying!

**JAMIE CONNOR, VIA EMAIL**

### When times get tough, Obama gets golfing

**RE: "SOMEONE'S POUTING, BUT IT'S NOT OBAMA" (METRO, MARCH 19)** It seems some of your readers have been misguided into blaming Congress on the lack of a budget in Washington. President Obama has been late four out of the last five years submitting a budget on time. When he does submit a budget, it is nothing but excessive spending. Our government is intentionally designed this way. It is referred to as a checks and balances system. Since Obama has taken office, each American's share of the national debt has ballooned from $28,000 to almost $52,000. That means everyone in your household: man, woman and CHILD currently owes $52,000. So you see, Congress is looking out for our children and their children and each of you should be as well. As far as White House tours, the White House belongs to the taxpayers, the Obamas are merely guests in our house and it should not be closed. There have been several news commentators who have sent letters to the White House offering to pay the $75,000 a week to keep the White House open and the administration has not replied. The amount of money spent for President Obama to fly to Florida to golf with Tiger Woods was enough to keep the White House open for two months — once again, it's not an income problem but rather a spending problem. Explain those presidential priorities to the children who did not get to tour the White House. **JOEY WHITMOYER, VIA EMAIL**

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# Slam-dunk deals during March Madness

For the next several weeks, we'll be inundated with news about college basketball. We might as well embrace it and enjoy some beer specials. Whether supporting your alma mater or just partaking for the love of the game, check out these deals around the city.

MARY ANN GEORGANTOPOULOS

▶ Drafts are half off at The Sea Fire Grill.

**1 The Sea Fire Grill**: The Sea Fire Grill isn't your average sports bar: This spot boasts a more high-end clientele. Think businessmen looking to enjoy some college basketball. During the games, all draft beers — including Blue Point, Magic Hat IPA on Tour, Eurotrash, Pacifico, Duvel Belgian Golden Ale and more — will be half off.
**158 E. 48th St.**
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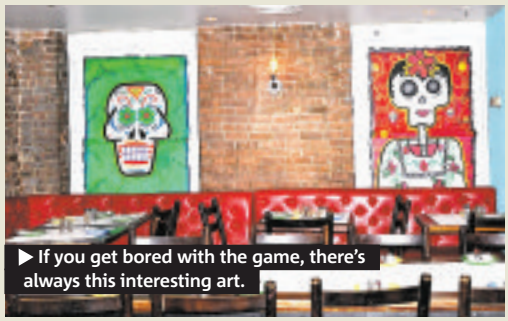

▶ If you get bored with the game, there's always this interesting art.

**2 Amigos**: Looking for some Mexican food while catching the game? Amigos has an offer you can't refuse: During the games, the restaurant will offer half a dozen jumbo chipotle wings and a Negra Modelo beer or a frozen margarita for $12.
**2888 Broadway**
**212-864-1143**

**3 Hudson Common:** The new burger joint is teaming up with ESPN analyst Jay Williams for a March Madness kick-off party tonight. It will also feature regional burgers such as The Midwest (pickle relish, sports pepper, tomato, celery salt) and The West (daikon, napa, bean sprouts, preserved lemon mayo) in honor of the tourney.
**356 W. 58th St.**
**212-554-6000**

**4 Brother Jimmy's BBQ:** With more than 30 televisions at each location, Brother Jimmy's is the perfect place to catch some basketball. The Union Square location is home to Michigan, Duke and Villanova fans; Lexington Avenue supports UNC and Miami, and if you're rooting for Syracuse, head over to the Eighth Avenue location. **www.brotherjimmys.com**

**5 Virgil's Real Barbecue:** Want more barbecue? Things are heating up at Virgil's barbecue throughout March Madness. In addition to great barbecue, Virgil's will be offering up a special Magic Hat Happy Hour and tasting events. Game day specials include $15 pitchers of Widmer, Hefewiezen and Bud Light.
**152 W. 44th St.**
**212-921-9494**

**Go here**

**6 Ainsworth Park**: With more than 65 televisions to watch the games, March Madness is taking over the Ainsworth Park. The 7,000-square-foot space has three bars, so hopefully you won't have to wait for your beer.
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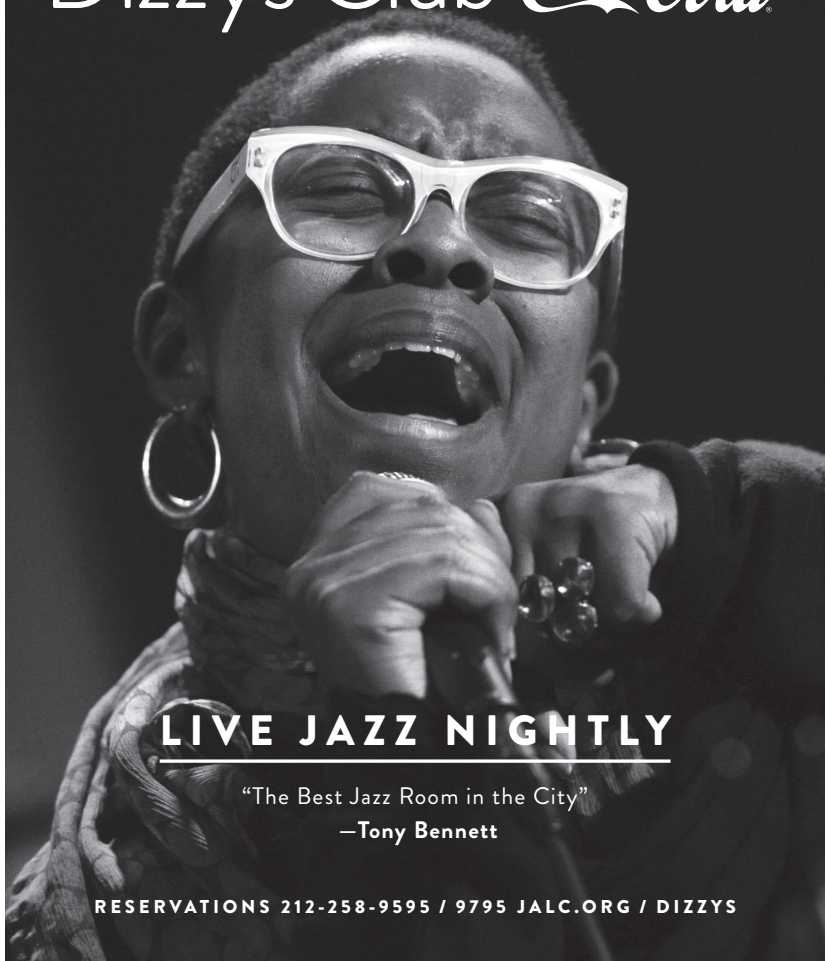

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## Cocktail of the week

### Flip Side

Tomorrow is your last chance to try the "miracle berry" cocktails being offered at Cafe Serai, the Indian-Himalayan cafe inside the **Rubin Museum (150 W. 17th St., 212-620-5000)**. On the menu are two sour cocktails that are paired with said "miracle berry," a tablet that actually changes your taste buds. Start imbibing and your sour drink suddenly turns sweet. We're all about the Flip Side (whiskey, apple liqueur, lime juice).

▶ The Flip Side

# City spots for seders

- Passover is coming up
- We recommend these eateries

**Prime Butcher Baker**
**1572 Second Ave., 212-616-1502**
The Kosher Upper East Side butcher shop and bakery will be providing meal packages that include matzah ball soup, Gefilte fish, meat and more for the week of Passover. Customers can also order menu items a la carte.

**Prime at the Bentley**
**500 E. 62nd St., 212-933-9733**
**Solo**
**550 Madison Ave., 212-833-7800**
**Prix fixe: $149 for adults, $85 kids 10 and under**
Both Prime Hospitality East Side restaurants will be hosting a three-course Passover seder this Monday and Tuesday, with Haggadahs at the table for you to use at dinner. Guests will also have the option to sit in on a communal seder hosted by a rabbi. Items featured on the a la carte menu will be available for the remainder of the holiday.

**Back Forty West**
**70 Prince St., 212-219-8570**
**Prix Fixe: $55 p.p.**
This Soho spot will be celebrating Passover Monday and Tuesday with a seder by Chef Peter Hoffman. The prix fixe menu will include a Moroccan mezze platter, house-smoked chicken and a Turkish flourless chocolate cake. Guests will also be provided with reading material for Passover discussion.

**Dovetail**
**103 W. 77th St., 212-362-3800**
**Prix fixe, $98 p.p.**
Chef John Fraser will be hosting a four-course dinner to celebrate Passover at this Upper West Side restaurant. Guests will be able to enjoy traditional dishes like matzah ball gnudi and brisket as well as less-traditional options like foie gras terrine and chocolate hazelnut torte.

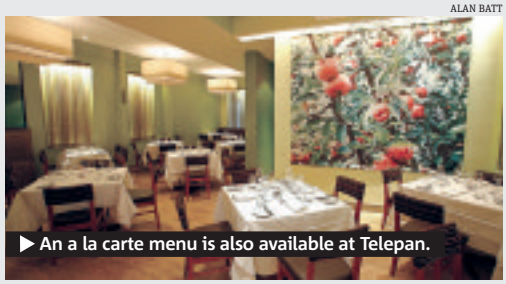
### FP Patisserie

**1293 Third Ave., 212-717-5252**
**Prix fixe, $52 p.p.**
The Upper East Side French bake shop is rolling out a full three-course meal for guests on Monday. The menu will include braised lamb shank as well as traditional matzah ball soup. Choose from two seatings, one at 6 p.m. and another at 8:30 p.m.

FELIPE CORONADO

▶ Braised lamb shank is on the Passover menu at FP Patisserie.

ALAN BATT



▶ An a la carte menu is also available at Telepan.

### Telepan

**72 W. 69th St., 212-580-4300**
**Prix fixe: $85 p.p.**
Chef Bill Telepan will be offering a seder Monday and Tuesday. Guests can indulge in spring vegetable soup and a hearty hanger steak-and-brisket combination. For dessert, there's pineapple lemon sorbet.

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# Listings

## TV

### 'Top of the Lake' viewing party

**Monday, 8:30 p.m., Le Midi Bar & Restaurant, 11 E. 13 St., free with RSVP**
Flavorpill is hosting an exclusive viewing party for the new episode of Sundance Channel's critically acclaimed series, "Top of the Lake," starring Elisabeth Moss and Holly Hunter. Experience the gripping drama and stunning beauty of New Zealand while enjoying drink specials from NZ's own Broken Shed Vodka. **LEAH TAYLOR**

Elisabeth Moss

## FILM

**New Directors/New Films Through March 31, MoMA, 11 W. 53 St., $15**
New Directors/New Films is a place to discover the most innovative voices in filmmaking today. This year's slate — all New York premieres— includes 25 features (19 narrative and six documentary) and 17 shorts representing 24 countries. **MINDY BOND**

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## Recreation

### Luna Park Opening Day

**Sunday, 12 p.m., 1000 Surf Ave., Coney Island, Free**
Head out to Coney Island for the season opener of Luna Park. Get a hot dog, ride the Wonder Wheel and pop into the freak show. Early birds (the first 100 people) get a free ride on the Cyclone! **LT**

▶ Borough president Marty Markowitz will be on hand at Luna Park's opening day.

## MUSIC

**Gavin Russom presents Run On N with Neon Indian Tonight, 10, The DL, 95 Delancey St., free with RSVP**
The sprawling rooftop deck at The DL plays host to Gavin Russom's (of DFA and The Crystal Ark) weekly Thursday night bash. This week, they've got Neon Indian DJing — and Gavin himself! **PATRICK LETTERII**

**Knxwledge with Ohbliv, Time Wharp and Tuamie Friday, 9 p.m., 285 Kent, 285 Kent Ave., Williamsburg, $10**
These names are synonymous with the modern experimental beat scene. Whether you tune in, zone out, knock your head, move your feet, rage your face off or close your eyes to take it all in, you'll be hypnotized by what comes out of the speakers tonight. **DENNIS LYNCH**

**Planetarium Thursday-Sunday, BAM Howard Gilman Opera House, 30 Lafayette Ave., Brooklyn, $25**
The National's Bryce Dessner, composer Nico Muhly and indie prophet Sufjan Stevens mind-melded for Planetarium. A sonic celebration of the Earth and its celestial brethren, a string quartet performs the artists' classically informed compositions. Then, Stevens' voice is added into the mix and each planet is given its air time. **MB**

## FOOD & DRINK

**Coffee & Tea Festival NYC Saturday and Sunday, 11 a.m., 69th Regiment Armory, 68 Lexington Ave., $20**
Want to learn about the new hot way to tamp your espresso, sample exotic teas or simply find the best single origin coffee out there? Whatever it is, the eighth Annual Coffee & Tea Festival NYC is your opportunity to do all of these, and catch a wicked caffeine buzz. **JASON DIAMOND**

## BOOKS

**P.G. Wodehouse Book Group: Enter Jeeves Sunday, 3 p.m., WORD, 126 Franklin St., Greenpoint, Free**
Join WORD for a monthly P.G. Wodehouse book club as the group discusses the English author's early stories and tries to pronounce a whole lot of early 20th-century British slang words that Americans don't get to use often enough. **JD**

## ART

**Audobon's Aviary: Part 1 of the Complete Flock Through May 19, New York Historical Society, 170 Central Park West, $15**
The Historical Society will present all 474 of its stunning avian watercolors, in three parts, in what is sure to be one of the biggest and most important exhibitions to feature the work of America's greatest naturalist painter. This first gives a glimpse into Audubon's early work. **JD**

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# Restaurant notes

## Eat for a cause

**City Winery** (155 Varick St., 212-608-0555) is hosting **Stark Winery** tomorrow for a wine and oyster tasting in honor of World Water Day. The winery donates 10 percent of its profits to WaterAid, an international nonprofit which provides access to clean and safe water. You'll taste six Stark wines, oysters and other bites from City Winery. Tickets are $75.

Sunday's first annual **Taste of New York** at the Flatiron Hotel is bringing together **Vic & Anthony's Steakhouse**, **Marco Polo Ristorante**, **LandBrot**, **The Sea Fire Grill**, **KTCHN** and others to raise money for the St. Francis Food Pantries and Shelters. FOX 5's Ernie Anastos hosts. Tickets are $65 in advance and $80 at the door; purchase yours at www.flatironhotel.tix.com.

GIOVANNI RANA PASTIFICIO & CUCINA

▶ Learn how to make homemade pasta this Monday.

## Help for Easter

If you're stressed about getting this year's Easter dinner on the table, let the pros at **Giovanni Rana Pastificio & Cucina** (75 Ninth Ave., 212-370-0975) give you the how-to with their Italian Easter pasta-making class this Monday at 7 p.m. You'll learn how to make pastas filled with traditional Easter ingredients like lamb and artichokes, then feast on your creations. Save room for dessert — the restaurant's chocolate ravioli is sure to change how you look at pasta. Tickets are $65.

## Harpoon takeover at Alobar tonight

Tonight, **Harpoon Brewery** is taking over five taps at **Alobar** (46-42 Vernon Blvd., LIC, 718-752-6000) and continuing the St. Patrick's Day celebration with a $50 five-course Irish-influenced tasting menu. Call for reservations. **MEREDITH ENGEL**

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# Expert insight on your bracket

## Former Manhattan coach Bobby Gonzalez told us who he likes He expects St. Louis to go far

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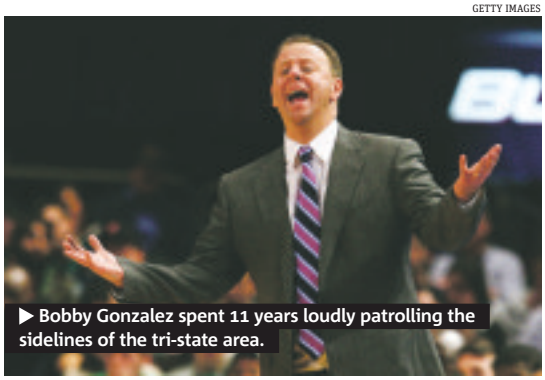

Bobby Gonzalez spent 11 years loudly patrolling the sidelines of the tri-state area.

Former Manhattan and Seton Hall head coach Bobby Gonzalez knows a thing or two about playing in the postseason. Twice named MAAC Coach of the Year, Gonzalez took his teams to two NCAA tournaments and three NIT appearances during an 11-year coaching career.

Currently, Gonzalez is a media figure doing interviews and providing analysis while coaching at the prestigious Five-Star Basketball Camps. He spoke to Metro about his thoughts on this year's tournament.

**Unlike last year when Kentucky was head and shoulders above the rest, there is no clear-cut favorite this year. Is this tournament wide open or will the top seeds still make a push?**

I still believe there will be some upsets as always in the first few rounds but the deeper into the tourney we go the favorites and high seeds will prevail. If you look at the numbers, 30 of the last 34 national champs were a No. 1, No. 2 or No. 3 seed.

**Has the Big 10 eclipsed the Big East and the ACC as the best conference?**

Well, right now I do feel the Big 10 is the best conference, but the Big East did get eight bids which was the most [of any conference]. But with the conference realignment going on, I feel the ACC will be the best going forward.

**Do you have an upset pick right now? Any team that will surprise and go deep?**

My upset pick is Davidson over Marquette in the No. 3 versus No. 14 matchup. Also, I think UCLA will get knocked out early to Minnesota. This year's Cinderella will be St. Louis. I believe Syracuse will go on another run and at least get to the Sweet 16, maybe even the Elite 8.

**Kristian Dyer**
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Dominic Artis and the No. 12-seed Ducks are a trendy upset pick in the first round.

### NCAA tourney TV schedule

**One of the craziest sports days of the year kicks off at noon, with 12 straight hours of the NCAA tournament. We have your surfing schedule handy. You provide the nachos.**

- **No. 14 Valparaiso vs. No. 3 Michigan St.** — 12:15 p.m. (CBS)
- **No. 11 Bucknell vs. No. 6 Butler** — 12:40 p.m. (truTV)
- **No. 9 Wichita St. vs. No. 8 Pittsburgh** — 1:40 p.m. (TBS)
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### In the news

## NFL throws out tuck rule, adds crown penalty

Eleven and a half years after the Patriots dynasty got its kick start in a snowy game in New England, the tuck rule that made it happen is no more. The NFL owners voted to toss the rule that made "tucking" the ball after a pump fake an incompletion instead of a fumble. They approved a new rule that makes it illegal for running backs to lower the crowns of their helmet outside the tackle box. METRO

### In the news

## Kreider called up to Rangers

Chris Kreider is back on the Rangers, and if head coach John Tortorella keeps his promise it is for good.

Kreider, 21, burst on the scene in the playoffs last season, but struggled to find his footing in his first regular season. He had just one goal in 11 games played.

But the team promised they would keep Kreider on the team once he was finally recalled from the AHL's Whale.

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# LOOK BACK ON A YEAR OF TEBOW

**Exactly one year ago, the Jets traded for Tim Tebow, a shocking move that addressed none of their needs but instantly created controversy and turmoil. The fact that wide receiver Jeremy Kerley had more passing yards than Tebow last year tells you everything you need to know about the NFL's most scrutinized quarterback's one, and likely only, year in New York.**

We didn't learn much about Tebow on the field last season; the body of his work was so small as to make an assessment impossible, but we learned his place isn't here with the Jets.

He came with much fanfare and hype, a standing-room-only press conference for a player who was only going to be a backup. The Jets were going to revolutionize football, we were told, and the offense was going to utilize the skill set of Tebow, as was the special-teams unit with his role as a personal punt protector. He was set to take over Madison Avenue as the country's most prominent evangelical Christian.

Instead, he ended up being the biggest distraction in the history of the game and through no fault of his own the Jets came crashing down like the walls of Jericho.

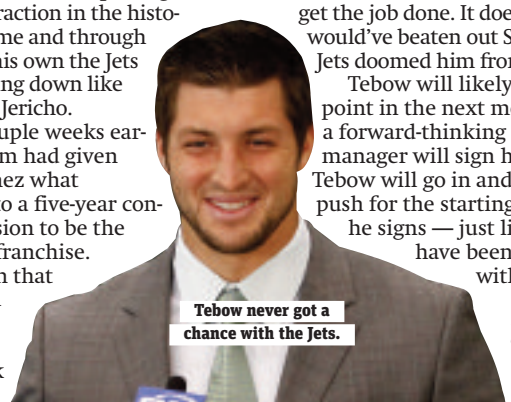
Just a couple weeks earlier, the team had given Mark Sanchez what amounted to a five-year contract extension to be the face of the franchise. Then within that very month they traded for Tebow.

His track record in Denver the season before showed he could start, play and win in the NFL, even if it was ugly. He could never do that in New York because he was never given the chance.

To utilize Tebow properly — and he can be a starting quarterback in the NFL — the offense needs to be geared around his skill set. He won't thrive in a conventional offense, and he won't succeed as a pocket passer. But the Jets also learned the hard way he won't work as a gimmick.

Where the Jets went wrong with Tebow was in not letting him compete. Throughout his career, there were wobbly passes and plenty of cringe-worthy moments, but Tebow always seemed to get the job done. It doesn't mean he would've beaten out Sanchez, but the Jets doomed him from the start.

Tebow will likely be cut at some point in the next month or two and a forward-thinking NFL general manager will sign him to a contract. Tebow will go in and compete and push for the starting job wherever he signs — just like he should have been allowed to do with the Jets.



Tebow never got a chance with the Jets.

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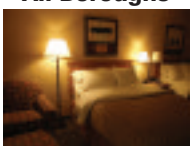
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